

CIVIC LEAGUE OF BUSINESS & PROFESSIONAL WOMEN  
St. Louis, Missouri

3917 Lindell Boulevard

December 10, 1947

Rear Admiral R. H. Hillenkoetter  
Director, Central Intelligence Group  
United States Navy  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Admiral Hillenkoetter:

Enclosed is copy of a letter of thanks from The Civic  
League to Mr. Forrestal.

We hope that you had a pleasant journey back to Washington  
and that you enjoyed your visit to the "old home town" as  
much as we enjoyed having you with us.

With cordial good wishes,

Sincerely yours,

The Civic League of Business and  
Professional Women

/s/ Frances W. Fulkley

(Mrs.) Frances W. Bulkley,  
President

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Dear Mrs. Hetfield:

Thank you for your letter of December 10,  
and for forwarding me a program of the Spotlight  
Dinner.

I appreciate your courtesy in sending  
this program to me, and I am referring it to Admiral  
Hillenkoetter for his information.

Sincerely yours,

James Forrestal

Mrs. Mary F. Hetfield  
Corresponding Secretary  
Civic League of Business and Professional Women  
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The Hon. James V. Forrestal  
Secretary of Defense  
Washington, D. C.

My dear Mr. Forrestal:

Please accept the expression of appreciation and gratitude of The Civic League of Business and Professional Women for the very important part you played in the success of our annual "Spotlight Dinner", on December 3, 1947.

We realize that through your efforts and cooperation we had the privilege of honoring Rear Admiral R. H. Hillenkoetter, a native St. Louisan. It was indeed a pleasure to have the Admiral as our honored guest, and we are deeply grateful to you for arranging his visit with us.

St. Louis is very proud of her sons and daughters who have received the honors recorded, and it is with pleasure that we enclose a program of the "Spotlight Dinner". It contains a review of our native son Rear Admiral Hillenkoetter.

With the Seasons best greetings, we are

Sincerely yours,

The Civic League of Business and  
Professional Women

(Mrs.) Mary F. Hatfield,  
Corresponding Secretary